



2026 ATLANTA MOTOR SPEEDWAY

OFFICIAL EVENT SCHEDULE

NCS, NOAPS, USLCI

REVISED as of June 16, 01:04 PM



WEDNESDAY, JULY 8			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
8:00 AM	10:00 AM	BROADCAST	DRONE TRACK LAP CONTENT CAPTURE (CLEAR TRACK MANDATORY) <b>TRACK HOT</b>
THURSDAY, JULY 9			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
5:00 PM		NCS, NOAPS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (SENT ELECTRONICALLY)
<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>9:00 PM</b>	<b>USLCI</b>	<b>LEGENDS &amp; BANDOLERO RACES (QUARTER-MILE TRACK) <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>
FRIDAY, JULY 10			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
10:00 AM	12:00 PM	NOAPS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
11:00 AM	4:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
11:30 AM	12:00 PM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED (GARAGE AREA)
12:00 PM	5:00 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>BROADCAST</b>	<b>BROADCAST SET UP <b>TRACK COLD</b></b>
<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>3:00 PM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK TEXTURE SCANNING (GOODYEAR)</b>
<b>3:00 PM</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	TRACK OPS	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & ROUTING REHEARSAL <b>TRACK COLD</b>
4:00 PM	5:00 PM	TRACK OPS	BICYCLE RIDE (ECHOPARK SPEEDWAY) <b>TRACK COLD</b>
<b>5:30 PM</b>	<b>9:00 PM</b>	TRACK OPS	<b>CHARITY TRACK LAPS (SPEEDWAY CHILDREN'S CHARITIES) <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>
SATURDAY, JULY 11			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
8:30 AM	9:00 AM	NCS	HAULER PARADE
9:00 AM	11:00 AM	NCS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
9:00 AM	7:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
9:00 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (BACKSTRETCH COMPOUND)
<b>9:15 AM</b>	<b>10:15 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) <b>TRACK COLD</b></b>
9:30 AM	11:30 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>10:15 AM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b>
11:00 AM	6:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>12:30 PM</b>	<b>NOAPS</b>	<b>QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>
<b>12:45 PM</b>	<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>PACE VEHICLE CALIBRATION (COMPETITION) <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>
1:00 PM	1:45 PM	NOAPS	AUTOGRAPH SESSION (FAN ZONE STAGE)
<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>1:45 PM</b>	<b>BROADCAST</b>	<b>TELEVISION EXHIBITION RUNS <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>
<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>4:30 PM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b>
<b>4:30 PM</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>	<b>NCS</b>	<b>QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>
5:00 PM		TRACK OPS	PIT ROAD TRACK SERVICES MEETING
6:25 PM		NOAPS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
6:35 PM		NOAPS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
<b>7:00 PM</b>		<b>NOAPS</b>	<b>RACE (STAGES 45/90/163 LAPS = 251.02 MILES) <b>TRACK HOT</b></b>

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NASCAR CUP SERIES (NCS), NASCAR O'REILLY AUTO PARTS SERIES (NOAPS), US LEGENDS CARS INTERNATIONAL (USLCI)

**SUNDAY, JULY 12**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	TRACK OPS	TRACK WALK (SPEEDWAY CHILDREN'S CHARITIES) <b>TRACK COLD</b>
12:00 PM	1:00 PM	TRACK OPS	VIP TRACK LAPS (SPEEDWAY CHILDREN'S CHARITIES) <b>TRACK HOT</b>
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	TRACK OPS	TRACK LAPS (ECHOPARK SPEEDWAY) <b>TRACK HOT</b>
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	NASCAR VIP TRACK LAPS <b>TRACK HOT</b>
2:00 PM	2:15 PM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE LAPS (COMPETITION OPERATIONS) <b>TRACK HOT</b>
2:15 PM	3:15 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
2:30 PM	7:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
2:30 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & SET UP PERMITTED <b>TRACK COLD</b>
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	NCS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
3:30 PM	7:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE & PIT PASS HOLDER - GARAGE ACCESS PERMITTED
3:45 PM	6:45 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (FRONTSTRETCH) <b>TRACK COLD</b>
4:00 PM	11:55 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>4:30 PM</b>		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (BACKSTRETCH COMPOUND)
5:30 PM		NCS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
6:05 PM		NCS	THE DRIVERS MEETING (MEDIA CENTER   PRESS CONFERENCE ROOM)
6:30 PM		NCS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
7:00 PM		NCS	RACE (STAGES 60/160/260 LAPS = 400.4 MILES) <b>TRACK HOT</b>

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